1	2	3
21.	Manager Rampur TE	Manager Rampur TE PO Rampur, Cachar
22.	Manager Dalu TE	Manager Dalu TE PO Dalu
23.	Manager Hatikhira TE	Manager Haticherra, PO Katlicherra
24.	Manager Cheragi TE	Manager Charogi TE PO Charogi, Karimganj
25.	Manager Hathikhira TE	Manager Hatikhira TE PO Hathikhira, Karimganj
26.	Manager Putni TE	Manager Putni TE PO Putni Dt. Karimganj
27.	Sri Keshab Basumatari	Kokilabari Pathsala Dist, Barpeta
28.	D.C. Kokrajhar (for Circle Officer, Sidli)	Circle Officer, Sidli, Kokrajhar
29.	D.C. Bongaigaon Army Camp (for Chaprakati)	Chaprakati, Bongaigaon
30.	Power Grid Corporation of India Ltd.	Salakati Sub-Station, Harigaon, Dist. Kokrajhar
31.	Senior Manager Sub-Stn, Power Grid	Charduwar, Tezpur
32.	Manager (P&A) Assam Valley School	Balipara, Assam Valley School

Technology Project of C-DOT

2367. SHRI NILOTPAL BASU: Will the Minister of COMMUNICATIONS be pleased to state:

(a) what are the 5 main technology product development projects in hand in the transmission division of C-DOT; what are the main objectives, the financial, manpower and time budgets for each;

(b) when each was taken in hand, what is its present status and by when each will be ready for commercial field trial; and

(c) whether C-DOT has taken up development of suitable digital "wireless in local loop" system, and if so, the details thereof?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF COMMUNICATIONS (SHRI SUKH RAM): (a) and (b) Details are enclosed as Statement (*See* below)

(c) Yes Sir, C.DOT has taken up development of Wireless in Local Loop system based on Digital Europeon Cordless Telecommunication System (DECT).

Statement

Sl. No.	Name of the Project	Objectives	Sanctioned cost (Rs. in lakhs)	Date of Inception	Ready for Commercial Field Trail	Present Status
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
1.	Network Management System for SDH Networks	To design and develop Network Management Systems for SDH	1400.00	Oct., 93	By 1997	Design of some interface and protocols.
2.	TDMA PMP Radio	Development of TDMA point to multipoint Rural radio systems.	810.00	Nov., 89	By June, 1996	Equipment ready for evaluation
3.	DACCA	To design and develop Synchronous Digital Access cross Connect System.	715.00	Jan., 92	By Sept., 1996.	Under lab. realisation
4.	VSAT 64	To develop 64 kbps VSAT	403.00	July, 1991	Validation commences in Feb., 96	Pilot production and documentation in progress.
5.	KU Band VSAT Network	To develop base band IF and RF sub-system for VSAT and HUB.	350.00	April, 1992	Validation by Oct., 96	Lab. Model designed. Protb testing initiated.

Investments by Pepsico Inc. in Beverage business

2368. SHRI MISA R. GANESAN: Will the Minister of FOOD PROCESSING INDUSTRIES be pleased to state:

(a) whether Pepsico Inc. had sought approval from Government for making investments through a holding company in India in the beverage business;

(b) if so, the details provided by Pepsico Inc. for investments to be made by it or the holding company in each project in the beverage business;

(c) the foreign exchange alongwith amount remitted to India by Pepsico or its subsidiaries towards investments in the business, excluding investment in Pepsi Foods Limited; and

(d) the details of each existing or new Project/Venture in the beverage business with amount funded and invested in each?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF FOOD PROCESSING INDUSTRIES (SHRI K.P. SINGH DEO): (a) Yes, Sir.

(b) M/s Pepsico Inc. had requested for permission to invest upto 95 million through a 100% holding company in India, which would primarily engage in the following activities:-

— Promotion of new export projects. -Promotion of new Joint Ventures in export activities.

— Investments in Food Processing Industries.

— Investments in backward linkages with farmers by any of the companies of Pepsico Inc. in India.